

May Memorial Library News Releases for October 2024.
All library programs are free.

October 1 - 31

North Park Library. October Scavenger Hunt. For K – 6th graders. Learn some fun facts about “Spanish Heritage” in our monthly hunt! See the Circulation Desk to get started, and receive a small prize when you’re done. For more information, call (336) 226-7185.

May Memorial Library. Scavenger Hunt. For ages 2 – 12. Drop by during library hours for a self-led scavenger hunt! Participants will earn a small prize for each completed scavenger hunt, and the scavenger hunt challenges will change every other week. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

May Memorial Library. GED Classes. 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays. For adults. Need to complete your high school education in order to improve your academic skills or qualify for a better job? Please call or stop by the library to sign up for ACC's free GED classes. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

Graham Public Library. Preschool & Toddler Scavenger Hunt. Explore the children’s section to find the clues, then bring your completed scavenger hunt to the desk for a small prize. For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

Graham Public Library. Elementary Scavenger Hunt. Explore the children’s section to find the clues, then bring your completed scavenger hunt to the desk for a small prize. For more information, call (336) 5709-6730.

Mebane Public Library. Preschool Scavenger Hunt. For ages 2 – 5 and their caregivers. Drop by during library hours for self-led scavenger hunts designed to promote learning through observation, exploration, and play. Participants will earn a small prize for each completed scavenger hunt, and the scavenger hunt challenges will change weekly. For more information, call (919) 563-6431.

October 1 – 19

Mebane Public Library. “Hispanic Heritage Month” Scavenger Hunt. For K – 6th graders. Celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month with this interactive scavenger hunt featuring changemakers, from past to present! See the Children’s Desk to get started, and receive a small prize when you’re done. For more information, call (919) 563-6431.

October 1

May Memorial Library. Baby/Toddler Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children ages 0 – 2 years old and their caregivers. Join us for a 30-minute interactive program filled with stories, songs, and activities that encourage early learning and literacy. This week’s theme is “Trains!” For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

Mebane Public Library. Preschool Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children ages 3 – 5 years old and their caregivers. Gather with us for stories, songs, and activities that encourage early learning and literacy! This week’s theme is “Birds of a Feather!” Registration is required, and space is limited. To register for the program or for more information, call (919) 563-6431.

Mebane Public Library. Paws and Claws for Reading. 4:00 - 5:30 p.m. For ages 5 – 12. Children are invited to read for 15 minutes in a relaxed, one-on-one session with certified therapy dog, Finley Mae, or certified therapy Cockatoo, Charlie! All of the animals who participate in Paws and Claws for Reading have been certified as therapy animals by an accredited organization. Registration is required. For more information, call (919) 563-6431.

October 2

Graham Public Library. Preschool Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children 3-5 years old and their caregivers. Join us for a 30-minute interactive program filled with stories, songs, and activities that encourage early learning and literacy. This week’s theme is “Hispanic Heritage Month.” For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

Mebane Public Library: Intro to Cybersecurity. 11:00 a.m. For adults. Join Alamance County IT Specialist Scott Ward and experience a fun user-friendly cybersecurity class. We'll talk about how to stay safe online, how to create powerful passwords (that you can remember), and how to foil hackers and scammers. This is part of a new series from Alamance County IT and the Alamance County Public Libraries.

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North Park Library. Family Board Game Night. 4:00 - 6:30 p.m. For families. Join us to play a fun selection of games for most ages! You can bring games of your own to share, or try out one of ours. Beginner board gamers are welcome; we are happy to teach you how to play! Snacks will be provided. To register or for more information, call (336) 226-7185.

October 3

May Memorial Library. Preschool Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children ages 3 – 5 years old and their caregivers. Join us for a 30-minute interactive program filled with stories, songs, and activities that encourage early learning and literacy. This week’s theme is “Trains!” For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

Mebane Public Library: Baby and Toddler Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children from birth to 2 and their caregivers. This lively program is designed to enrich your child’s life through music, movement, fingerplays, and stories! This week’s theme is “Doctors!” Registration is required, and space is limited. To register or for more information, call (919) 563-6431.

Mebane Public Library: Baby and Toddler Storytime. 11:15 a.m. For children from birth to 2 and their caregivers. This lively program is designed to enrich your child's life through music, movement, fingerplays, and stories! This week's theme is "Doctors!" Registration is required, and space is limited. To register or for more information, call (919) 563-6431.

Graham Public Library. Device Advice. 2:00 p.m. For adults. Drop in for help with devices, apps, technology, and library-related questions. Staff cannot assist with repairing devices, but can aid with eBooks, basic applications, and general device basics. No registration is required. Spend 5 to 15 minutes with a librarian to ask your tech questions. For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

Alamance Community College, Main Campus. Constitution Carnival. 4:30 – 7:30 p.m. For families. Alamance Community College is holding a Constitution Carnival in conjunction with the Voices and Votes Smithsonian exhibit (September 9-October 15, 2024). The Mobile Library will be there with a fun patriotic craft and outdoor games. This event will be fun for all ages! Call (336) 570-6981 for more information.

Mebane Public Library: Dying To Read Book Club. 6:00 p.m. For adults. At Bright Penny Brewing (107 N 7th Street Mebane) Adult. Join us as we discuss Truman Capote's classic *In Cold Blood*. Limited Copies are available for pick up at the Mebane Public Library. For more information, call (919) 563-6431.

May Memorial Library. Local Author Event: John May Book Discussion. 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. For adults. Local author John May will discuss his book *The Founding of English America: an Introduction to the Lost Colony & Jamestown*. May earned his MFA in Writing from Bennington College. He is also the author of the novel *Poe & Fanny* published by Algonquin Press. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

Graham Public Library. Seed Saving with the Master Gardener Volunteers. 6:30 p.m. For adults. We will discuss the benefits of saving seeds from your garden to use the next year or to share. Register at <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/seed-saving-registration-799894384637?aff=ebdssbdestsearch>

October 4

Graham Public Library. Baby and Toddler Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children from birth to 2 and their caregivers. This lively program enriches your child's life through music, movement, fingerplays, and stories! This week's theme is "Hispanic Heritage Month." For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

North Park Library. Imagination Station! 11:00 – 2:00 p.m. For families with children aged 3-5 years old. Did you know that pretend play develops a child's language, thinking, social, and emotional skills? By nurturing the imagination, your child is learning! So, bring your child to learn through play! All supplies are included. For more information, call (336) 226-7185.

October 5

May Memorial Library. LEGO Fun. All day. For families. Drop in and use your imagination to build, challenge, create, and more, all with LEGO®! No registration is needed for this program, and all LEGO® will be provided. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

Graham Public Library. Breakfast Book Club. 10:30 a.m. For adults. Join us for a lively discussion of our latest book club selection *American Refuge* by Diya Abdo. Copies of the book are available at the desk for checkout. For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

October 7

Graham Public Library. Fire Safety Fun. For families and kids of all ages. 4:00 p.m. The Graham Fire Department and Graham Public Library are excited to partner on a program to teach kids essential fire safety skills in an engaging and memorable way. The program will feature interactive demonstrations and hands-on activities led by experienced firefighters and library staff. Children will learn about fire prevention, the importance of smoke detectors, and what to do in case of fire. The event will also include Storytime sessions with fire safety themes. For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

Mebane Public Library: Tech Time. 5:00 p.m. For adults. Drop in for help with smartphone and tablet apps, troubleshooting, and general technology-related questions. Our knowledgeable staff is available to guide you through the basics of popular apps, help you set up and use new applications, and answer any tech queries you may have. Please note that we are not able to assist with hardware repairs or advanced technical issues. No registration is required. Spend 5 to 15 minutes with a librarian to get your app-related questions answered.

October 8

Graham Public Library. Writers Cafe. 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. For adults. Join local writers in residence from the Burlington Writers Club. Receive coaching and support while you work on your book, essay, poem, or other piece. This program is for both beginners and more experienced writers. Coffee and light snacks will be provided. For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

Mebane Public Library. Preschool Yoga Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For ages 2 – 5 and their caregivers. Breathe and bend with stories, rhymes, and songs! Please wear comfortable clothing for the program. Registration is required and space is limited. To register or for more information, call (919) 563-6431.

May Memorial Library. Baby/Toddler Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children ages 0 – 2 years old and their caregivers. Join us for a 30-minute interactive program filled with stories, songs, and activities that encourage early learning and literacy. This week's theme is "Fire Safety!" For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

North Park Library. Tech Tuesday. 4:00 – 6:00 p.m. For adults. Drop in for help with devices, apps, technology, and library-related questions. Staff cannot assist with repairing devices, but

can aid with basic operations, applications, and general device basics. No registration is required. Spend 5 to 15 minutes with a librarian to ask your tech questions. For more information, call (336) 226-7185.

Graham Public Library. The Book Begins. 4:00 p.m. For 3rd-5th graders. Join us for this exciting book group that will be an adventure every time! We'll discuss *The Fairy Tale Detectives* by Michael Buckley and participate in related activities. Then we'll start the first chapter of a new book that can be checked out to continue at home. Afternoon snacks will be served. Copies of the book are available at the desk for checkout. For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

Alamance County Public Libraries – Zoom. LEGO® Buddies Book Club. 4:30 – 6:00 p.m. For rising K – 5th graders. Love LEGO®? Love stories? Become a LEGO® Buddy by joining this interactive book and building club for elementary school kids! Ms. Tampa will share LEGO® creations from around the world, read a story, and share a surprise building challenge over Zoom. Participants will then have time to build their own LEGO® creations off-screen and share them with the group at the end of the Zoom meeting! To register or for more information, email Tampa at treese@alamancelibraries.org.

October 9

Graham Public Library. Preschool Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children 3-5 years old and their caregivers. Join us for a 30-minute interactive program filled with stories, songs, and activities that encourage early learning and literacy. This week's theme is "Down on the Farm." For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

Mebane Public Library. Celebración del Mes de la Cultura Hispana/.Hispanic Heritage Month Celebration. 5:00 – 6:30 p.m. For families; all ages welcome. Drop in any time during the program for a variety of family-friendly crafts and activities that celebrate the culture and heritage of Latin American countries. For more information, call (919) 563-6431.

Biblioteca Pública de Mebane. Celebración del Mes de la Cultura Hispana. Para familias; todas las edades son bienvenidas. Acérquese en cualquier momento durante el programa para disfrutar de una variedad de manualidades y actividades para toda la familia que celebran la cultura y el patrimonio de los países latinoamericanos. Para obtener más información, llame al (919) 563-6431.

North Park Library. STEM in the Park. 5:30 p.m. For ages 11-15 years of age. Explore concepts of Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math through hands-on experiments and games. This month's activities will be simple woodworking with the construction of a Bat Box. Registration is required. Limited to 10 participants. To register or for more information, call (336) 226-7185.

October 10

May Memorial Library. Preschool Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children ages 3 – 5 years old and their caregivers. Join us for a 30-minute interactive program filled with stories, songs, and activities that encourage early learning and literacy. This week's theme is "Fire Safety!" For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

Mebane Public Library: Baby and Toddler Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children from birth to 2 and their caregivers. This lively program is designed to enrich your child's life through music, movement, finger plays, and stories! This week's theme is "Pumpkins!" Registration is required, and space is limited. To register or for more information, call (919) 563-6431.

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May Memorial Library. Jumping Genres Book Club. 4:30 p.m. For 3rd – 5th graders. Meet old friends and new friends at Jumping Genres Book Club! This month, we will discuss *Esperanza Rising* by Pam Muñoz Ryan, and then play book-themed games and activities. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

Graham Public Library. Chill & Play. 5:30 - 7:00 p.m. For 5th – 8th grade. Join us for pizza, snacks, and gaming on the Nintendo Switch during this social time to unwind. We vote on a new Nintendo game to play each month. Register online or call (336) 570-6730.

May Memorial Library. Board Game Night. 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. For adults. Join us to play a fun selection of games! You can bring games of your own to share or try out one of ours. Beginner board gamers are welcome; we are happy to teach you how to play! Snacks will be provided. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

Mebane Public Library: Vinyl Society Social Club. 6:00 p.m. For adults. A program for record collectors and music lovers to gather over the music they love, bring in records to share, and socialize with like-minded people. Attendees are encouraged to bring as many records as they would like to share (the more the merrier), but we welcome anyone to join us with or without vinyl. Vinyl Society Social Club is about records, but it is mostly about people who love music connecting with each other. For more information, call (919) 563-6431.

October 11

Graham Public Library. Baby & Toddler Pretend Play! 10:30 a.m. For children from birth to age 2 and their caregivers. Did you know pretend play develops a child's language, thinking, social, and emotional skills? By nurturing the imagination, your child is learning! So, bring your child to learn and explore through play! For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

October 12

May Memorial Library. Pretend Play Day! All Day. For families. Did you know that pretend play develops a child's language, thinking, social, and emotional skills? By nurturing the imagination, your child is learning! So, bring your child to learn through play on our Pretend Play Days! All supplies are included. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

4902 Dailey Store Rd., Burlington. Occaneechi Band of the Saponi Nation Pow Wow. 10:00 a.m. – event close. For families. Join us for a day of dances, ceremonies, vendors, and food to celebrate the Occaneechi Band of the Saponi Nation. The library will be giving away books and signing up people for library cards. For more information, call (336) 570-6981.

Mebane Public Library: Saturday Playdate. 10:30 a.m. For children from birth to 5 and their caregivers. Engage in imaginative play with your child, and build friendships with other parents and caregivers. A variety of age-appropriate toys and manipulatives will be available during this 45-minute playdate. For more information, call (919) 563-6431.

Mebane Public Library. Cosplay Workshop. 3:30 – 5:30 p.m. For 6th – 12th graders. For rising 6th -12th graders. Learn how to create cosplay props like weaponry, armor, and other accessories using EVA foam, just in time for Halloween! All supplies will be provided, and registration is required. To register or for more information, email Tampa at treese@alamancelibraries.org or call (919) 563-6431.

October 14

May Memorial Library. Lunch Bunch Book Club. 12 p.m. For adults. All are welcome! This month, the book club will be discussing *Signal Fires* by Dani Shapiro. Copies are available for pick up at May Memorial Library. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

Graham Public Library. Dragon Readers. 4:00 p.m. For K-2nd grade. Join us for an early elementary storytime all about Spooky Silly Stories! We will read some Spooky Silly Stories, learn about Dia de Los Muertos, and decorate our own skeleton bookmark. Come ready to giggle and have some spooky fun! For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

Mebane Public Library. Teen Advisory Group (T.A.G.) Meeting. 5:00 p.m. For 6th – 12th graders. Make something cool for yourself and work on a service project for your community! This month, we're prepping for the library's Spookfest and making take-home treats for the spooky season! Participants who help with this month's service project will earn volunteer time. To register or for more information, email Tampa at treese@alamancelibraries.org or call (919) 563-6431.

North Park Library. The Urban Girl's Book Club. 5:30 p.m. For Adults. All are welcome! This month, the book club will be discussing *Before I Let Go* by Kennedy Ryan. Copies are limited. For more information, call (336) 226-7185.

May Memorial Library. Maker Meet-up. 6:00 p.m. For adults (age 16+). Do you crochet, knit, cross-stitch, embroider, loom knit, weave, draw, scrapbook, watercolor, macramé, or any other

portable craft? Bring your on-the-go project and join other makers to hang out and chat while you work on your work-in-progress. This is not an instructional program but a time to meet other artists and crafters. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

October 15

Graham Public Library. Adventure Awaits: Navigating Travel Search Engines. 10:00 a.m. Adults. Join us for an informative session on booking flights online. Learn how to navigate Google Flights and other useful travel websites and apps to easily plan your next trip. Discover the ins and outs of online flight booking and get valuable tips and tricks for finding the best deals. Navigate the world of online flight booking with confidence! For more information, call (336)570-6730.

May Memorial Library. Baby/Toddler Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children ages 0 – 2 years old and their caregivers. Join us for a 30-minute interactive program filled with stories, songs, and activities that encourage early learning and literacy. This week’s theme is “Nocturnal Animals!” For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

Mebane Public Library. Preschool Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children ages 3 – 5 years old and their caregivers. Gather with us for stories, songs, and activities that encourage early learning and literacy! This week’s theme is “Moon and Stars!” Registration is required, and space is limited. To register for the program or for more information, call (919) 563-6431.

Graham Public Library. Experiment with Art. 2:30 p.m. For adults. Join us for a casual, no-pressure, no-judgment, experimental art lab – no previous artistic experience is needed! Each month we will try a different technique or artistic style and maybe you’ll find something that inspires you to pursue it as a hobby! Registration is required, and space is limited. Register online or call (336) 570-6730 for more information.

May Memorial Library. Bocaballos y Más: A Celebration of Latin American Culture! 4:30 p.m. For K-5th graders. Celebrate the culture and heritage of Latin American countries through snacks! We’ll be learning fun facts about Latin America all while enjoying yummy snacks from its many countries. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

October 16

Graham Public Library. Preschool Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children 3-5 years old and their caregivers. Join us for a 30-minute interactive program filled with stories, songs, and activities that encourage early learning and literacy. This week’s theme is “Feelings.” For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

Mebane Public Library: Noonday Book Club. 12:00 p.m. For adults. At the Mebane Historical Museum (209 West Jackson Street, Mebane). All are welcome. This month, our book club will be discussing, *Harry’s Trees* by Jon Cohen. Copies are available for pick up at the Mebane Public Library. For more information, call (919) 563-6431.

Graham Public Library. K-2 STEM. 4:00 p.m. For K-2nd grade. Join us for an early elementary Story & STEM challenge. We will read a story and try to build a structure that can hold a pumpkin! Put on your engineer thinking caps and get ready to build! For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

Mebane Public Library: Awesome Readers. 4:30 p.m. For 3rd – 5th graders. Calling all 3rd, 4th, and 5th graders for a book club just for you! Each month we talk about a selected title and engage in activities based on the book's themes. This month's selection is *Free Baseball* by Sue Corbett. To register or for more information, email Amy at asegposyan@alamancelibraries.org or call (919) 563-6431.

North Park Library. Discover U. 5:30 p.m. For teens and adults not familiar with tools or who would like to build their confidence using tools. Leave with a small project already under your belt! This month's theme is "It's Electric!" Limited seating, registration is required by October 9th! To register or for more information, call (336) 226-7185.

October 17

May Memorial Library. Preschool Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children ages 3 – 5 years old and their caregivers. Join us for a 30-minute interactive program filled with stories, songs, and activities that encourage early learning and literacy. This week's theme is "Nocturnal Animals!" For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

Mebane Public Library: Baby and Toddler Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children from birth to 2 and their caregivers. This lively program is designed to enrich your child's life through music, movement, finger plays, and stories! This week's theme is "Birds!" Registration is required, and space is limited. To register or for more information, call (919) 563-6431.

Mebane Public Library: Baby and Toddler Storytime. 11:15 a.m. For children from birth to 2 and their caregivers. This lively program is designed to enrich your child's life through music, movement, finger plays, and stories! This week's theme is "Birds!" Registration is required, and space is limited. To register or for more information, call (919) 563-6431.

Graham Public Library. Books Over Coffee. 12:00 p.m. For adults. Take a break from your busy day and enjoy a leisurely chat with fellow book lovers. It's a great way to learn about new authors and hear what's new, what's good, and what's not. Bring a book you have recently read and join us on the third Thursday of each month at noon. For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

Graham Public Library. Device Advice. 2:00 p.m. For adults. Drop in for help with devices, apps, technology, and library-related questions. Staff cannot assist with repairing devices, but can aid with eBooks, basic applications, and general device basics. No registration is required. Spend 5 to 15 minutes with a librarian to ask your tech questions. For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

Graham Public Library. Eclectic Coloring. 3:30 - 5:00 p.m. Ages 10 and up. Bring your friends for an afternoon of coloring and listening to music. Coloring sheets pulled from a variety of sources are provided or you are welcome to bring your own project. Colored pencils, markers, and crayons will be provided. For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

May Memorial Library. Storybook STEM. 4:30 p.m. For K – 2nd graders. Learn about the world around you through science and literacy! Together, we will read a book, then perform a hands-on experiment based on that book. This month's book is *A Drop of Blood* by Paul Showers. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

October 18

Graham Public Library. Baby and Toddler Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children from birth to 2 and their caregivers. This lively program enriches your child's life through music, movement, fingerplays, and stories! This week's theme is "Feelings." For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

North Park Library. Discover Baby and Toddler Time. 10:30 a.m. A *new* storytime for children ages 0-2 years old and their caregivers. Join us for a 30-minute interactive program filled with stories, songs, and activities that encourage early learning with STEM. After the program stay for self-led exploration in the Discovery Lab. This month's theme is "Pumpkins." All materials will be provided. To register or for more information, call (336) 226-7185.

North Park Library. Discover Storytime. 11:00 a.m. For children ages 3-5 years old and their caregivers. Join us for a 30-minute interactive program filled with stories, songs, and activities that encourage early learning with STEM. After the program stay for self-led exploration in the Discovery Lab. This month's theme is "Pumpkins." All materials will be provided. To register or for more information, call (336) 226-7185.

Downtown Burlington. Monster Mash. 5:00 – 7:00 p.m. For families. Downtown Burlington invites you to trick-or-treat at area businesses and have fun at the Depot! The library will be open an additional hour to welcome trick-or-treaters. Call (336) 570-6981 for more information.

October 19

May Memorial Library. Family Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children ages 0 – 5 years old and their caregivers. Join us for a 30-minute interactive program filled with stories, songs, and activities that encourage early learning and literacy. This week's theme is "Not So Scary!" For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

May Memorial Library. Paws for Reading. 1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. For K-8th Graders. Children are invited to read for 15 minutes in a relaxed, one-on-one session with certified therapy dog, Winston! All of the dogs who participate in Paws for Reading have been certified as therapy dogs by an accredited organization. Registration is required. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

Graham Public Library. Knots and Needles. 2:30 p.m. For adults. Bring your knitting, crochet, sewing, quilting, spinning, weaving, embroidery, or other fiber arts projects to work on while we hang out. This is not an instructional program, but simply a way to meet and chat with others interested in fiber arts. For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

Mebane Public Library. Let's Go LEGO®! 3:30 – 5:30 pm. For all ages; Families welcome. Want to have a building adventure this summer? Come construct with LEGO® building bricks and take our themed challenge! Creations made with one scoop of bricks or less will be displayed in the library. For more information, call (919) 563-6431.

October 21 – 31

Mebane Public Library: Spooktacular Scavenger Hunt! During library hours. For K – 6th graders. Monsters and mayhem have taken over the library! Help save your library by completing a spooky scavenger hunt, and earn a spooky prize when you're done! For more information, call (919) 563-6431.

October 21

May Memorial Library. Career Compass: Online Job Search Success. 12:00 p.m. For Adults. Join us for a special workshop on finding and applying to jobs online! This workshop will cover strategies for navigating the online job market, including tips for maximizing your online presence, using professional networks, and crafting effective job applications. Whether you're new to the job market or looking to advance your career, this workshop will equip you with valuable insights and practical skills to enhance your online job search. Bring your questions and get ready to take your job search to the next level! Register [online](#) or call (336) 229-3588 for more information.

Graham Public Library. Art Attack. 4:00 p.m. For grades 3 -5. Join us in celebrating the fall season by customizing your very own Scarecrow Sun Catcher! Registration is required. Register online or call (336) 570-6730 for more information.

May Memorial Library. Relax & Unwind. 4:30 p.m. For adults. Join us at the library for a relaxing session of coloring and puzzles, where you can unwind and unleash your creativity in a calming environment. All materials provided, so just bring yourself and enjoy some peaceful, stress-free time. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

Mebane Public Library: Book Buddies. 4:30 p.m. For grades K – 2nd. This program explores a variety of themes and authors through great books and fun activities! This month's theme is "Moon Phases!" To register or for more information, call 919-563-6431 or email Adyera at arobinson@alamancelibraries.org.

May Memorial Library. Career Compass: Online Job Search Success. 6:00 p.m. For Adults. Join us for a special workshop on finding and applying for jobs online! This workshop will cover strategies for navigating the online job market, including tips for maximizing your online presence, using professional networks, and crafting effective job applications. Whether you're

new to the job market or looking to advance your career, this workshop will equip you with valuable insights and practical skills to enhance your online job search. Bring your questions and get ready to take your job search to the next level! Register [online](#) or call (336) 229-3588 for more information.

October 22

May Memorial Library. Baby/Toddler Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children ages 0 – 2 years old and their caregivers. Join us for a 30-minute interactive program filled with stories, songs, and activities that encourage early learning and literacy. This week's theme is "Rhyming!" For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

Mebane Public Library. Preschool Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children ages 3 – 5 years old and their caregivers. Gather with us for stories, songs, and activities that encourage early learning and literacy! This week's theme is "Nocturnal Animals!" Registration is required, and space is limited. To register for the program or for more information, call (919) 563-6431.

Graham Public Library. BrainSTEM 4:00 p.m. For 3rd–5th graders. Join us as we talk about chemical reactions and make some SLIME! Register online or call (336) 570-6730 for more information.

North Park Library. Switch5 Teen Gaming Club. 5:00 p.m. Teens 13-18 years of age. Join us to play a fun selection of video games on our Nintendo Switch or PS5! You can bring games of your own to share, or try out one of ours. Beginner gamers are welcome; we are happy to teach you how to play! Snacks will be provided. To register or for more information, call (336) 226-7185.

October 23

Graham Public Library. Preschool Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children 3-5 years old and their caregivers. Join us for a 30-minute interactive program filled with stories, songs, and activities that encourage early learning and literacy. This week's theme is "Silly Stories." For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

North Park Library: Sewing Club. 5:30 p.m. For ages 9-12. Join us to discover the art of sewing! Participants will learn the fundamentals of sewing, from threading a needle to mastering basic stitches on a sewing machine. Through fun and engaging projects, such as creating personalized tote bags, plush toys, and accessories, budding seamsters will develop essential skills while unleashing their imagination! Limit 5 participants. Registration required. To register or for more information, call (336) 226-7185.

Mebane Public Library: Chess Social Club. 6:00 p.m. Ages 13+. Do you like chess? Need others to play with? Come to this special session to help form a chess social club. Sets and boards are provided, but you can bring your own. There is no formal chess instruction as part of this program. "Check" it out.

October 24

Mebane Public Library: Baby and Toddler Playdate. 10:30 a.m. For children from birth to 2 and their caregivers. Engage in imaginative play with your child, and build friendships with other parents and caregivers. A variety of age-appropriate toys and manipulatives will be available during the playdate. For more information, call (919) 563-6431.

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Mebane Public Library: Tech Time. 11:00 a.m. For adults. Drop in for help with smartphone and tablet apps, troubleshooting, and general technology-related questions. Our knowledgeable staff is available to guide you through the basics of popular apps, help you set up and use new applications, and answer any tech queries you may have. Please note that we are not able to assist with hardware repairs or advanced technical issues. No registration is required. Spend 5 to 15 minutes with a librarian to get your app-related questions answered.

Graham Public Library. Creativity Lab – Jack-O'Lantern Necklaces. 12:00 p.m. For adults. Celebrate the spooky season by making a jack-o'lantern necklace using glass beads and alcohol inks. Registration is required, and space is limited. Register online or call (336) 570-6730 for more information.

Graham Public Library. Device Advice. 2:00 p.m. For adults. Drop in for help with devices, apps, technology, and library-related questions. Staff cannot assist with repairing devices, but can aid with eBooks, basic applications, and general device basics. No registration is required. Spend 5 to 15 minutes with a librarian to ask your tech questions. For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

May Memorial Library. Teen Wonder Space: Rubber Duck Cosplay. 5:00 p.m. For 6th – 12th graders. Celebrate fandom in all its forms! Talk about favorite characters. Learn the basics of costume design for conventions. Then put those together to dress up a duck in our first annual Rubber Duck Cosplay Parade. Your duck is yours to take home. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

Mebane Public Library: Vinyl Society Social Club. 6:00 p.m. For adults. A program for record collectors and music lovers to gather over the music they love, bring in records to share, and socialize with like-minded people. Attendees are encouraged to bring as many records as they would like to share (the more the merrier), but we welcome anyone to join us with or without vinyl. Vinyl Society Social Club is about records, but it is mostly about people who love music connecting with each other. For more information, call (919) 563-6431.

Graham Public Library. Celebrate NC Crunch Day. 6:00 p.m. For all ages. Join Sara from NC Cooperative Extension and crunch into apples as we celebrate NC Crunch Day. We will taste-

test apples and try out some healthy apple recipes. Registration is required. Register online or call (336) 570-6730 for more information.

October 25

Graham Public Library. Baby and Toddler Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children from birth to 2 and their caregivers. This lively program enriches your child's life through music, movement, fingerplays, and stories! This week's theme is "Silly Stories." For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

Beth Schmidt Park, Elon. Halloween Happenings. 5:00 – 8:00 p.m. For families. Join us for a fun evening in Elon's Beth Schmidt Park! Trick-or-treating will be from 5:00 – 6:30 p.m., followed by a showing of E.T. the movie. The Mobile Library will be there with tricks and treats for all! Call (336) 570-6981.

Downtown Graham. Pumpkin Bash. 6:00 – 9:00 p.m. For families. The annual Downtown Graham Pumpkin Bash features inflatables, trick-or-treating, food trucks, games, and fun for the whole family! The library will have a booth with a fun game and great prizes for kids of all ages. Call (336) 570-6981 for more information.

October 26

May Memorial Library. Family Make & Takes. All Day. For families. Looking for a fun activity? Check out our Make and Takes! Drop by during library hours and make a craft, then take it home and show it off! This month, we'll be making Milk Carton Haunted Houses! For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

Mebane Public Library: Bilingual Family Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For families with children of all ages. Join us for stories, songs, and activities in English and Spanish. This program is suitable for both native speakers and beginners. Registration is required, and space is limited. To register or for more information, call (919) 563-6431.

Downtown Mebane. Halloween Spooktacular. 11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. For families. Trick-or-treat in downtown Mebane, take part in a costume contest, get your face painted, enjoy spooky stories, a magician, and music. The library will have a booth and will take part in the trick-or-treating! Call (336) 570-6981 for more information.

October 28

North Park Library. Social Crafting Club. 2:00 - 4:00 p.m. For adults. Join us on the last Monday of the month to DIY a craft from Creative Bug. This month's craft is Quilling Spiders for spooky home decor! All materials are provided. Registration is required. Limit of 15 participants. To register or for more information, call (336) 226-7185.

May Memorial Library. Paws for Reading. 3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. For K-8th Graders. Children are invited to read for 15 minutes in a relaxed, one-on-one session with certified therapy dog,

Beckett! All of the dogs who participate in Paws for Reading have been certified as therapy dogs by an accredited organization. Registration is required. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

Graham Public Library. Paws for Reading. 4:00 p.m. For ages 6-8. Children are invited to read aloud independently for 15 minutes in a relaxed, one-on-one session with certified therapy dog, Shelby! All dogs who participate in Paws for Reading have been certified as therapy dogs by an accredited organization. Registration is required. For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

Alamance County Public Libraries – Zoom. AniMebane Anime Club. 5:00 p.m. For 6th – 12th graders. Watch anime episodes, hang out with friends, and try popular Asian market snacks— all over Zoom! To receive a snack pack, participants must register by October 24th. To register for the program or for more information, email Tampa at treese@alamancelibraries.org or call (919) 563-6431.

Graham Public Library. Novels @ Nite Book Group. 6:30 p.m. For adults. Join us on the fourth Monday of each month as we read and discuss books from various genres. This month's selection is *White is for Witching* by Helen Oyeyemi. Copies of the book are available for checkout. For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

October 29

Mebane Public Library. Move to the Music. 10:30 a.m. For children ages 2 – 5 and their caregivers. Join us for a morning of dancing and music-making! Children will have an opportunity to move creatively, play instruments, and explore music through active play. Registration is required, and space is limited. To register or for more information, call (919) 563-6431.

May Memorial Library. Baby/Toddler Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children ages 0 – 2 years old and their caregivers. Join us for a 30-minute interactive program filled with stories, songs, and activities that encourage early learning and literacy. This week's theme is "Not So Scary!" For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

October 30

Graham Public Library. Preschool Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children 3-5 years old and their caregivers. Join us for a 30-minute interactive program filled with stories, songs, and activities that encourage early learning and literacy. This week's theme is "Not so Scary Stories." For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

Mebane Public Library: Spookfest! 5:30 – 7:00 p.m. For families. Drop in for an evening of creepy crafts and activities, spooktacular treats, and a book giveaway! For more information, call (919) 563-6431.

October 31

Graham Public Library. Drop-In Halloween Horror Movie Fest! All day. Open to all ages*. Halloween just SCREAMS for a spooky movie marathon! We'll be showing public-domain horror movies all day in our meeting room. *All ages are welcome, but the movies may not be appropriate for all ages. Viewer discretion is advised. For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

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Mebane Public Library: Baby and Toddler Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children from birth to 2 and their caregivers. This lively program is designed to enrich your child's life through music, movement, finger plays, and stories! This week's theme is "Ghosts!" Registration is required, and space is limited. To register or for more information, call (919) 563-6431.

Mebane Public Library: Baby and Toddler Storytime. 11:15 a.m. For children from birth to 2 and their caregivers. This lively program is designed to enrich your child's life through music, movement, finger plays, and stories! This week's theme is "Ghosts!" Registration is required, and space is limited. To register or for more information, call (919) 563-6431.

May Memorial Library. Magic the Gathering Club. 4:30 – 6:30 p.m. For 6th – 12th graders. Join us for a fun and casual Magic: The Gathering meetup! Whether you're a seasoned planeswalker or a curious newbie, enjoy some games and connect with fellow fans. Register [online](#) or call (336) 229-3588 for more information.